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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : Kazushi Takanashi, et al.  
Appln. No. : 09/730,188  
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Title : WAVEFORM EQUALIZER HAVING A TAP COEFFICIENT  
MONITORING UNIT

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Examiner : Eva Y. Zheng

Customer No. : 000,116  
Docket No. : 33152

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT "C"**

Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated August 19, 2005 (Paper No. 8805). The three-month period for responding to the Office Action expires on November 19, 2005.

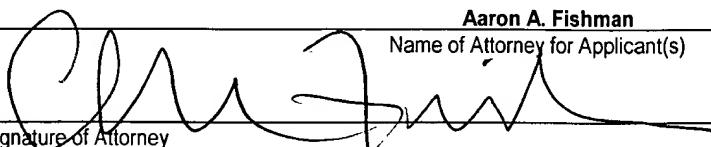
Please amend the above-identified application in the following manner.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 20 of this paper. Attached is a replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 21 of this paper.

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